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wherein a second type of user input device is comprised of a digitizer pad.

REMARKS

Claims 1, 5, 12 - 14, 20 - 22, 30 - 36, 38 - 40, 42 - 44, and 46 - 48 have been amended.

Claims 49 and 50 have been cancelled, and Claims 51 - 80 have been added.

Claims 1, 4 - 48, and 51 - 80 are in the case.

Claims 1 and 4 - 48 stand allowed.

REJECTIONS:

Claim 50 was objected to for informal language and under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, for insufficient antecedents.

Claims 49 and 50 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(a) as anticipated by the PARULSKI ET AL (WO 94/14274) reference.

Claims 1 and 4 - 48 were allowed.

REPLY:

Rejected Claims 49 and 50 have been cancelled, without prejudice to their being re-submitted in a continuing application.

Allowed Claims 1, 5, 12 - 14, 20 - 22, 30 - 36, 38 - 40, 42 - 44, and 46 - 48 have been amended merely to improve the form of their language without adding any new matter or raising any new issues and thus the amendments are enterable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(b).

Dependent Claims 51 - 80, all of which are dependent on allowed independent claims, have been added to more fully cover the features of the invention, and are submitted to be allowable by virtue of the patentable subject matter in their parent claims.

All of the claims in the application being allowed or in proper form for allowance, it is earnestly solicited that the present

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application be allowed and passed to issue.

The number of independent claims following the entry of this amendment remains the same but the total number of claims is increased by 28 (+30 - 2), so that an additional fee of (28 x \$18.00 =) \$504.00 is due.

A three-month extension of time to respond is hereby petitioned and the fee of \$890.00 therefor is included in the enclosed check in the amount of (\$504.00 + \$890.00) \$1394.00 to cover the total of the fees due.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 16-1350 for any further fee that may be required to maintain the pendency of this patent application.

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